

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Third Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
July - September 2002**

Juvenile Court **HAMILTON**
Court Number **33**

July - September 2002 1,540 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting 1,211 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
5	OR	0.28% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
3	OR	0.17% Aggravated Sexual Battery
7	OR	0.39% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.06% Other Sexual Offenses
29	OR	1.62% Aggravated Assault
3	OR	0.17% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
2	OR	0.11% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
117	OR	6.54% Assault
13	OR	0.73% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
13	OR	0.73% Aggravated Burglary
146	OR	8.16% Theft of Property
46	OR	2.57% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
1	OR	0.06% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
32	OR	1.79% Burglary
5	OR	0.28% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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10	OR	0.56% Sale of Controlled Substances
12	OR	0.67% Other Drug Offenses
45	OR	2.51% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
3	OR	0.17% Carrying Weapons on School Property
10	OR	0.56% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
20	OR	1.12% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
9	OR	0.50% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
46	OR	2.57% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
16	OR	0.89% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
3	OR	0.17% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
4	OR	0.22% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
2	OR	0.11% Filing a False Police Report
10	OR	0.56% Criminal Impersonation
69	OR	3.85% Disorderly Conduct
17	OR	0.95% Criminal Trespass
24	OR	1.34% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
44	OR	2.46% Traffic
2	OR	0.11% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
16	OR	0.89% Contempt of Court
130	OR	7.26% Violation of Probation
15	OR	0.84% Violation of Aftercare
94	OR	5.25% Unruly Behavior
17	OR	0.95% Truancy
118	OR	6.59% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
30	OR	1.68% Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00% Violation of a Valid Court Order
22	OR	1.23% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
50	OR	2.79% Dependency/Neglect
23	OR	1.28% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
1	OR	0.06% Foster Care Review
350	OR	19.55% Custody
75	OR	4.19% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
80	OR	4.47% Other

1,790	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 1,540 Cases, There Were

1,790 Referral Sources

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Referral Source

779	OR	43.5% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
391	OR	21.8% Were Referred By Parents
181	OR	10.1% Were Referred By Relatives
2	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Self
17	OR	0.9% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
140	OR	7.8% Were Referred By DCS
4	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
140	OR	7.8% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
8	OR	0.4% Were Referred By Other Court
73	OR	4.1% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
3	OR	0.2% Were Unknown
52	OR	2.9% Other
1,790	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,540 Cases, There Were 1,790 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

0	OR	0.0% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
20	OR	1.1% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
1,713	OR	95.7% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
57	OR	3.2% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
1,790	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,540 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
1,463	OR	95.0% Unknown
77	OR	5.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,540	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	OR	0.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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252	OR	16.4% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
9	OR	0.6% Unknown
1,279	OR	83.1% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,540	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

1,211 Children

Age of Child At Referral

338	OR	27.9% Birth Through Age 10
88	OR	7.3% Ages 11 Through 12
231	OR	19.1% Ages 13 Through 14
349	OR	28.8% Ages 15 Through 16
192	OR	15.9% Age 17 Through 18
1	OR	0.1% Age 19 And Over
12	OR	1.0% Unknown/Not Reported
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

749	OR	61.8% Male
460	OR	38.0% Female
2	OR	0.2% Unknown
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

546	OR	45.1% White
611	OR	50.5% African American
1	OR	0.1% Native American
5	OR	0.4% Asian
13	OR	1.1% Mixed Race
35	OR	2.9% Unknown
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,211 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

6	OR	0.5% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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143	OR	11.8% Living With Both Biological Parents
1	OR	0.1% Living With Father And Stepmother
12	OR	1.0% Living With Mother And Stepfather

576	OR	47.6% Living With Mother
69	OR	5.7% Living With Father
69	OR	5.7% Living With Relatives
4	OR	0.3% Living With Adoptive Parents
11	OR	0.9% Living With Foster Family
2	OR	0.2% Living In A Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Residential Center
71	OR	5.9% Living In An Institution
12	OR	1.0% Living Independently
203	OR	16.8% Unknown
38	OR	3.1% Other
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

602	OR	49.7% Were Enrolled In School
200	OR	16.5% Were Not Enrolled In School
409	OR	33.8% Unknown
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

146	OR	12.1% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
16	OR	1.3% Finished Kindergarten
12	OR	1.0% Finished Grade 1
12	OR	1.0% Finished Grade 2
13	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 3
13	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 4
13	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 5
60	OR	5.0% Finished Grade 6
79	OR	6.5% Finished Grade 7
94	OR	7.8% Finished Grade 8
123	OR	10.2% Finished Grade 9
60	OR	5.0% Finished Grade 10
50	OR	4.1% Finished Grade 11
20	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 12
1	OR	0.1% Non-graded Special Education
8	OR	0.7% GED
1	OR	0.1% Graduated
1	OR	0.1% Never Been In School
489	OR	40.4% Unknown
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

28	OR	2.3% Were Enrolled In Special Education
138	OR	11.4% Not Enrolled In Special Education
1,045	OR	86.3% Unknown
1,211	OR	100.0% Total

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NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		2,529 Specific Case Outcomes
525	OR	20.76% Case Dismissed
5	OR	0.20% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
69	OR	2.73% Warned/Counseled
494	OR	19.53% Held Open For Review
178	OR	7.04% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
34	OR	1.34% Probation To Parents
44	OR	1.74% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
1	OR	0.04% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
48	OR	1.90% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
2	OR	0.08% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
9	OR	0.36% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
4	OR	0.16% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
139	OR	5.50% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
17	OR	0.67% Fine
87	OR	3.44% Public Service
37	OR	1.46% Restitution
16	OR	0.63% Runaway Returned
61	OR	2.41% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
2	OR	0.08% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
10	OR	0.40% Released From Probation
3	OR	0.12% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
101	OR	3.99% DCS Commitment/Custody
18	OR	0.71% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
10	OR	0.40% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
20	OR	0.79% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
370	OR	14.63% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
20	OR	0.79% Foster Care Continued

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42	OR	1.66% Custody Changed
0	OR	0.00% Custody Unchanged
35	OR	1.38% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
128	OR	5.06% Other
2,529	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 1,790 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

83	OR	4.6% Disposed By The Judge
1,630	OR	91.1% Disposed By The Referee
77	OR	4.3% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,790	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,540 Cases Disposed,
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 1,790 Referral Reasons Was:

552	OR	30.8% Dismissed
8	OR	0.4% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
297	OR	16.6% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
52	OR	2.9% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
65	OR	3.6% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
92	OR	5.1% Informal Adjustment
680	OR	38.0% Pretrial Diversion
11	OR	0.6% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
33	OR	1.8% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,790	OR	100.0% Total